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The Return of Tarzan

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EPISODE 78

THE TORNADO

Continuing lap-over, a Frenchman drops the bomb, Tarzan, seeing the bomb coming quick as a flash, grasps a strand of black jack and swings from the tree, as the explosion takes place.

The Frenchman thinking he has killed Tarzan, hurries back with the Aeroplane, to the outskirts of the Jungle.

Rokoff and the Arabs are highly elated at the Frenchman's hit, and start towards the Jungle thickets looking for Tarzan's body.

Tarzan hurries on to meet Jane, and is happy to learn that she has not been hurt, and is glad to see the Professor. As they are talking they hear approaching footsteps, Tarzan orders the Professor to hide, and takes Jane in his arms, and swings into the trees.

In the meantime, the English Party have attracted the notice of the ship at sea, which happens to a French Warship, and Sailors have been sent to recuse them. They arrive at the shore, but the English Party will not leave until they have found Jane, the Professor and Tarzan. They all start out in search for the three and later on the Professor meets them, and they are all happy at being reunited.

Rokoff seeing the French Sailors, is frightened to death, and orders the Arabs to turn back, explaining to them, that with the papers Tarzan has in his possession, the Sailors will arrest them all, and take them back as prisoners. They do as they are told and start sneaking away.

The English party and the French Sailors are all for starting back to the shore, but Tarzan explains, that the Sailors have guns, it is their duty to first drive the Arabs away from the Warzari Village, and save their Ivory. He puts the entire party under the guard of two Sailors, and sends them back, saying he will join them immediately. The rest of the Sailors follow Tarzan, who guides them from the trees above, and calls for the Warzari Warriors and the Bull Ape who have scattered being frightened by the Aeroplane.

Rokoff and the Arabs return to the Village, and meet the Frenchman. Rokoff explains to the Frenchman that Tarzan is still alive, and they are both disgusted at their luck.

In the meanwhile, Tarzan with the Sailors and the Warriors have arrived at the outskirts of the Warzari Village, and Tarzan places the Men for their attack on the Arabs. Tarzan swings back into the trees and taking a huge spear, throws it through the branches of the trees, into the Chief's hut, where he has seen Rokoff and the Frenchman enter.

Rokoff and the Frenchman are frightened, and with the rest of the Arabs race into the street, as Tarzan gives the signal to start the attack. With the French Sailors firing their guns, they start in pursuit of the Arabs, who are now fleeing, capturing many, and killing some.

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Rokoff and the Frenchman escape, running through the Jungle, on their way to the Aeroplane. They reach their Aeroplane and start away. They see the ship in the distance, but go in the opposite direction, as they are afraid of the Ship's guns.

Tarzan has recaptured the Warzari Village, and the Warzaris are grateful to him, and bring him many gifts. Tarzan bids them good-bye, and with the Sailors and the Ape, start towards the shore.

The English party have reached the shore, and are anxiously awaiting the arrival of Tarzan. Tarzan and Sailors arrive, and they start away towards the ship in the distance.

In the meantime, the Frenchman with Rokoff in the Aeroplane conceives an idea to bomb the ship, but Rokoff does not agree with him and tells him it is best to wait until the ship is out about two or three days from shore, and that will give them an opportunity to get a Hydroplane, and then return and get Jane and the Map of Opar, and then bomb the ship as that will surely get Tarzan, being so far away from land.

On the night of the third day out. Rokoff and the Frenchman in a Hydro-plane are nearing the ship. They skim down to the surface of the water, shutting off their engine, and pull up close to the side of the boat, throwing a hook over the rail to make it fast.

Jane has retired to her room and is resting without having disrobed when Rokoff sneaking over the side of the ship, with gun ready for action, finds Jane's cabin and enters it. Jane is taken by surprise and after a struggle Rokoff succeeds in tying her up, and carries her to the hydro-plane, and starts away.

Tarzan and rest of the Men of the English Party, are in Tarzan's cabin, when they hear the whirring of an engine, and race on to the deck, where they see the hydro-plane above them. Tarzan's first thought is of Jane. He runs to her cabin, and finds her gone. He hurries to the Captain on the bridge, and tells him of Jane being stolen by the Men in the Hydro-plane.

The Captain calls his Men to arm the Aeroplane guns.

We cut back to Rokoff the Frenchman and Jane in the Hydro-plane. Rokoff orders the Frenchman to bomb the ship before the sailors have a chance to shoot their anti-air-craft guns.

The Sailors are about to start their guns, as a bomb from the Hydro-plane drops and explodes, sinking the ship. As she goes out of sight, we finish the episode.

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